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## Curlers all Set for Freezing Weather

The mild weather is all that is keeping curlers from getting underway. Tom Wyman has again been appointed as caretaker and now has everything in readiness to start flooding as soon as the weather tightens up.

The membership list has been opened and quite a number have already signed up. The membership committee are anxious to have the list completed so that curling can be gotten underway as soon as ice is ready. They are asking that all intending to curl hand in their name either with the committee or with the Barber Shop. It is intended to open the season with a War Savings bonspiel.

The following are the officers:

Hon. Patron, A. G. Studer  
President, Tom Morris  
1st Vice-Pres., I. L. Klein  
2nd " " J. Caithness  
Sec. treas., C. McLaughlin

Membership Committee:  
Geo. Law, Ivan Weber, Ed D. Mann.

Schedule Committee:  
J. McCloy and J. W. Wordie.  
Chaplain: Rev. J. M. Fawcett.

## Wheat Delivery Quota Now 15 Bushels

The general wheat delivery quota of 12 bushels an acre was increased to 15 bushels an acre authorized by the Canadian Wheat Board.

The board said it does not guarantee that there will be immediate space in western Canada elevators for acceptance of the increased quota but it will endeavor to distribute the total available space as fairly as possible.

## Revival Meeting.

Revival meetings will be held in the M. B. C. church from Dec. 5th to 14th, with Rev. W. E. Cox of Portland Ore. the evangelist.

Services will be held at 2 P.M. each afternoon except Sunday and at 8 P.M. each evening.

On Sundays the services will be held at 2:30 P.M.

There will be special numbers in singing and good music. Everybody welcome.

## WEDDINGS

### CHAMBERLAIN—LAIN

The wedding of Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs. Arthur W. Lain, Hamilton, Ontario, and Pte. Ralph U. (Jim) Chamberlain, R.C.O.C. elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chaimberlain of Didsbury, Alberta, was solemnized on Monday, Nov. 17 at 6 p.m. at the Church of Ascension, Hamilton, the Ven. Arch Deacon W. F. Wallace officiating.

The bride was given in marriage by her father who is a Coy. Sgt-Major in the Royal Hamilton Light Infantry (WR).

She wore a dress of Soldier Blue wool and a doll hat to match and her corsage was of sweetheart roses and sweetpeas. Miss Joyce Lain, sister of the bride and Maid of Honor, wore a dress of green wool crepe with brown accessories and baby yellow chrysanthemums composing her corsage bouquet.

The bride's mother wore a dress of rust crepe with brown accessories and a corsage of bronze chrysanthemums.

The best man was Pte. Roy W. Shantz also of Didsbury.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents where a few of the happy couple's friends had an enjoyable evening.

Both the groom and the best man are attached to the Canadian Army Trades School in Hamilton, Ontario.

## Air Force Needs Women Cooks.

Women who wish to train as cooks with the Canadian Women's Auxiliary Air Force are required immediately for a training course which starts in Toronto early in December, it was stated Tuesday at the R. C. A. F. recruiting centre in Calgary.

Applicants may apply directly at the recruiting centre instead of forwarding applications to Ottawa as has been required in the past.

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## Drive For Membership In New Hospital Scheme

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You are not being asked for a donation. On the contrary, you are being asked to put all you can in a real investment that will pay two ways.

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### New Hospital Roll of Honor

Following is a list of people who have already subscribed to the Hospital Scheme and who believe that "Action Speaks Louder Than Words."

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Sundre: E. Phillips; K. E. Phillips; J. Heaton.

Bergen: E. Buschert; J. C. Harder; F. Admussen; T. McRae; J. A. McDonald; A. T. Moore.

Didsbury: W. H. Davies.

Olds: Rurak: W. J. Piatt; C. R. Moritz; H. Sorenson; B. Trimble; S. Boettger; Unger Bros.; C. B. Thole; E. B. Dodd; W. J. Dodd; J. L. Dodd; W. A. Kuehn; Mrs. L. Kuehn; K. Pollock; F. C. Goddard; Everett Dodd; G. Lang; T. Lang; J. Wombold; L. J. Miller; C. McNeill; M. Fuchs; G. A. Waldreiff; J. Hansen; F. J. Peters; O. Semrau; C. Haerle; Esper Esperson; Eric Esperson; W. R. Cross; Clyde Cross; George Turner.

Olds Town: J. B. Sicotte; G. M. Houston; Miss M. Powell; Chas. Hillebrecht; C. E. Yanch; C. Sturgeon; A. Ragozin; A. E. Henson; C. J. Bennett; S. E. Reiber; J. C. Dawson; J. Wilks; W. J. Shoebottom; H. B. Craig; A. A. Dunkley; H. B. Fisher; J. E. McLeod; G. Warren; C. M. Becker; G. H. Kallert; J. Walker; R. E. Maybank; H. B. Orning; Geoff Morgan; Mrs. A. L. Morrison; K. Thomson; L. G. Kaiser; E. Petersen; L. H. Smith.

## Evangelical Church Notes

As we are nearing the Advent season, the sermon on Sunday at 10:30 A.M. will be "The saving Name". We will deal with the announcement to Mary, that she is to be the mother of the Savior of the world. "Thou shalt call His name Jesus, for He shall save His people from their sins". Has He saved you from sin? At 7:30 P.M. the Women's Missionary Society will conduct a Public Thank offering service. A special program has been provided and everyone is cordially invited to attend. Support the women in their missionary endeavors. Sunday School at Jutland will be held at 2 P.M. and divine service at 3.

Mr. John Hislop who has been manager of the Midland Pacific elevator at Minaret, has resigned his position and will leave this week end for the Pacific Coast, where he will enter a university.

Second Hand skating outfit from \$1.00 up, at Scott's.

## DIDSURY MARKETS

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## Wednesday Closing Observed During Dec.

The merchants have decided that Wednesday afternoon closing will be observed during December excepting December 24 when the stores will be open all day.

The stores will be open on the Tuesday and Wednesday evenings before Christmas, and of course closed on Christmas Day and Boxing Day.

## Camera Club Carries On

Since the organization of the Camera Club, we have learned many interesting things about cameras and pictures.

On October 31, Mr. Lorn Frey was our first guest speaker and explained the many things about the different types of cameras. A vote of thanks to Mr. Frey was moved by the president.

At the last meeting, we discussed many different ideas and methods of displaying our pictures. We made a large display board with our name at the top and on this we are posting the best indoor pictures; best outdoor pictures; best picture of the week; the best picture of the month.

We are at present on a picture scavenger hunt and each couple are assigned to get certain pictures, each one of the two taking four pictures, and when the film comes back the best pictures from each group are chosen and put on the bulletin board. The club has been progressing very rapidly with every pupil taking keen interest in it.

Call for a plebiscite on the proposal to proceed with the enlargement of municipal units was voiced by delegates to the 33rd annual convention of the Alberta Association of Municipalities in Edmonton this week. Hon. Lucien Maynard, explaining that the change would be made under legislation already debated in the Legislature, said the government would consider the proposal. President Paul L. Farnell urged delegates to debate with free minds and fairness. "When we ask to be relieved of a responsibility, we must assume that it implies the surrender of a right", he said, referring to the provincial assumption of certain social services.

## Free Picture Show Monday Afternoon

An interesting picture show will be given in the Didsbury Theatre on Monday afternoon, December 1, at 2 p.m. under the auspices of the War Savings Committee.

The films to be shown will include "The New Britain" depicting progress in Britain during pre-war days; "London can take it," which shows night during an air raid; and "Dover Front Line," the title of which is self explanatory.

In addition to these there will be a 50 minute film entitled "Fight for Liberty," which is really a record of the second year at war, and shows a good part of Canada's effort.

Also speakers from Calgary will be on hand to give short addresses on "War Savings".

## Ladies of Zella District Organize Red Cross

The ladies of Zella and district met at the Zella school on November 12th at which they organized a Senior Red Cross Society under the name of "The Rebecca's". Mrs. Parker, an active Red Cross worker from the Rugby district was present with ideas and assistance to get the work under way.

The first meeting of this organization was held at the home of Mrs. Chandler on November 20th. A quilting frame was set up in one of the spacious rooms of the latter's home. Seventeen pairs of hands went willingly to work and a pieced quilt was completed in short order. This is only a link in the chain of industry which the ladies hope to achieve in the future. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. Chandler, and the able convener, Mrs. Brown. The ladies then left for their homes with sewing and knitting plans to be carried out in the future.

## Tax Discount Closes Monday December 1st.

The last day on which discounts will be allowed on current Town and School taxes will be Monday, December 1st.

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### Value Of Propaganda

New weapons and new methods of combat now used in the second world war, have brought many strange expressions into common usage. "Fifth column," "Molotov bread basket," "balloon barrage," and numerous other terms, unfamiliar before the present war, now appear quite naturally in the news columns of our papers and radio press bulletins.

One important weapon, however, has an old name into which events of this war have put a new and wider meaning. That word is "propaganda," and it was introduced in its newest form by the highly publicized Dr. Goebels.

Much has appeared in the news lately of the measures taken by the Russians in this regard. They have effectively disrupted German announcements, broadcast news of German losses in Russia, and otherwise harassed the rigidly controlled air waves of the Reich. There have been stories, too, of the brilliant "V for Victory" campaign launched by the British Broadcasting Corporation. Results of this clever piece of propaganda are recorded every day in uprising and unrest in the occupied countries. Vichy officials blame the unrest in France on this campaign, the full story of which will not be known until the people of the occupied countries have joined with the free democracies in the final destruction of Nazi-ism.

#### Use Other Methods

This, however, is only one way in which the B.B.C. is fighting and defeating Dr. Goebels, just as effectively as the Royal Air Force is sweeping the Luftwaffe out of the skies. For twenty-four hours of every day the B.B.C. broadcasts authentic news and commentaries to every corner of Europe. These programs are given in all the European languages, including the dialects of isolated districts. That they are regularly heard in the occupied countries is known beyond a shadow of doubt, and this despite very rigid Nazi rulings and severe penalties for infractions of the verboten order. Through secret means, known only to the British Government, the B.B.C. has a very good estimate of the number of people who listen to these programs. Letters, too, reach Britain by devious ways, telling of the hope and courage these forbidden broadcasts bring. Countless numbers who are now in bondage, suffering from every form of persecution, are looking hopefully forward to the day of their deliverance from the Nazi yoke. It is to hear what they recognize as truth, that the oppressed peoples of Europe risk their very lives to listen to the British programs. It is beyond doubt that they must be greatly heartened to know that elsewhere in the world strong forces are working to bring about their release, and that they will see yet another "new order" in Europe based on freedom, and relief from all those who are now under Nazi domination.

#### For Final Victory

Particular effort is injected into programs which are broadcast to all classes of people in Germany, and that these programs are heard in the Reich is corroborated by no less an authority than the diminutive Dr. Goebels himself, who goes on the air frequently to refute statements made in B.B.C. broadcasts.

In France it is commonly stated that there are three governments—Paris, Vichy and the B.B.C. And so, on this front as on many others, a strong and unrelenting attack is being made. When the final victory is reached, those who have carried on this unending task, will take their place with others who have taken Nazi weapons and wielding them with a deeper courage and a greater conviction than the Nazis could ever know, have brought about ultimate victory for the forces of freedom and democracy.

#### From Bombed Wood

Harry Osborne, a commercial traveller of Woolwich, England, has made a fire engine of wood from bombed houses. It has two automobile wheels and an automobile axle, carries two extension ladders, four sandbags, a household water tank filled with water and many other fire-fighting devices.

#### War Makes Many Changes

##### Dinner At Savoy Much Simpler Than In Peace Time

Noel Barber, in Overseas Daily Mail says: My mention of dinners reminds me that I did see at the Savoy one week the strangest menu they have probably ever had.

Sir Courtauld Thomson gave a lunch to the new Governor of Bermuda, Viscount Knollys. There was an imposing list of guests, whose names were printed on one side of the menu. And on the other side, the actual menu. It consisted of only three words: Macaroni, Chicken, Sweet.

That was all. A good idea, too, except perhaps to the artistic head waiter, who took one look at the small slip of paper and muttered to me: "I don't know why they don't just print 'Food'."

The point is, of course, that you get just as much food as you need, and far less indigestion than you deserve—far less, anyway, than you would have got at the Savoy's old-time menus. I looked up one used for a party given about 50 years ago by the Duke of Orleans in the same room as this week's lunch.

On that menu were 18 courses and six different wines. It was considered bad manners to miss a course in those days . . .

The United States does not cultivate the coffee bean yet drinks half the world's output.

An area just north of Porto Rico is believed to be the deepest portion of the Atlantic Ocean.

### What Plan Means

#### National Church In Germany Would Supplant Those Now Existing

The Christian Science Monitor published the abstract of an alleged Nazi plan for a national church to supplant existing churches in the Reich and "annihilate" Christianity. The Monitor said that the scheme was advanced by Alfred Rosenberg, Nazi philosopher and policy-maker, but that this did not necessarily mean it would be carried out.

The Rosenberg version of N.R. (National Reichskirche) would be formed along military lines with the sword the symbol instead of the cross and "Mein Kampf" the credo instead of the Bible, the Monitor said. All other churches or religious orders would have to leave the Reich and there would be a strict ban on any religious group holding or receiving property.

There would be no priests, clergy or scribes in the new order, the Monitor's version related, and only Nazi party orators would have the right to speak in the churches, which would remain only in the architectural sense.

### SELECTED RECIPES

Pies! England had them first. A flaky, thick crust, topping a delicious, nourishing one-dish meal which consisted of meat, vegetables, gravy and seasonings made up the original pie as it was served in England centuries ago. The meat or chicken pot pie of to-day is a modern version of this early entree. The traditional apple pie was developed many years later. The famous fruit pie, and some others long have been looked upon as "firsts" in desserts. Lemon, chocolate, custard and countless other fillings have been perfected over a period of time, until to-day we find Webster defining a pie as "an article of food consisting of a pastry crust with any of various kinds of fillings."

#### APPLE PIE MODERNE

6 cups corn flakes.  
1½ cups fine crumbs.  
½ cup butter  
¼ cup sugar  
\* \* \* \*  
1 quart pared, sliced apples  
½ cup sugar  
1 teaspoon cinnamon  
2 tablespoons butter

Roll corn flakes into fine crumbs. Melt butter, add sugar gradually and mix with crumbs. Reserve ½ this mixture; press the rest evenly over bottom and sides of pie pan.

Fill pie shell with apples; sprinkle with ½ cup sugar mixed with cinnamon. Dot with 2 tablespoons butter; sprinkle remaining crumbs over top and bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for ½ hour, reduce heat to 300 degrees F. and bake one hour longer, until apples are tender. Yield: One 9-inch pie.

#### Gesture To Russians

The red flag of Russia flew over a British public building when R. Glave Sanders, mayor of Exeter, England, ordered the Soviet flag hoisted as the city assizes opened. The mayor said the flag was raised "as a gesture to the gallantry of the Soviet people."

#### The Heart Of Norway

The funeral of an R.A.F. pilot in Norway became an occasion for a demonstration of anti-German feeling as fishermen and farmers contributed to the cost of the funeral and women wept and men sang national songs.

An annual total of 7,000 fatal accidents occurs in the homes of England during peacetimes.



### Sheep-Dogs On Payroll

#### Work Without Orders On Great Western Railway In Wales

The Great Western Railway (reports a correspondent) has 25 sheep-dogs on its pay-sheets in Wales at places where sheep often break through the fences, not only endangering their lives but delaying the trains' progress.

The dogs, working without orders, find obscure openings in fences through which to shepherd the flock back. They learn to develop "line sense"; if they are caught between trains on adjacent lines they lie down until both have passed.

If maintenance men, working on the line, do not heed the noise of an on-coming train the dogs bark at them and refuse to leave until the last workman is out of the way.—Manchester Guardian.

#### Now You Tell One

#### Story About Illinois Railroad Clerk Reads Like Fairy Tale

Richard Grady, 73, of East St. Louis, Ill., retired railroad clerk, received a \$29.03 paycheck from the Illinois Central Railroad 38 years later.

Grady worked as a laborer for the railroad for fifteen days in 1903. But when he started for the paycar to collect his money, high water kept him from the tracks. Four days later when he could reach the tracks the paycar had been moved. He attempted to collect from the railroad but had lost his claim ticket for the money and didn't get the check. Last summer, after he had retired, he had an attorney write the railroad. A checkup on the books showed he never was paid and the check was drawn up.

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### Hay Was Valuable

#### Grass In Green Park, London, Allowed To Grow Tall

Most picturesque London scene recently was haymaking in the Green Park. Nearly 40 loads were taken away in heavy carts supplied by a South London cartage firm which still keeps 40 Shire horses busy.

Normally the grass in the parks is mown. This year it was allowed to grow nearly three feet tall. "Of course," said one haymaker, "after cutting hay in this park one feels like setting up a lost property office."



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## London Firm Has The Reputation Of Making The Finest Guns In The World

Mr. Robert Churchill is no relation of the Prime Minister; but he has got the same stocky figure, the same bulldog jaw and the same forth-right manner. And he is as much the leader of his own profession as Mr. Winston Churchill is the leader of the House of Commons. Mr. Robert Churchill is London's leading sporting gunsmith, which is as good as saying that he makes the best sporting guns in the world.

For 300 years the London-made shotgun has enjoyed the reputation of being the best gun that money can buy anywhere. Other cities in Britain turn out guns which shoot just as well. In every country good guns are manufactured which cost very much less. Yet, sportsmen everywhere who can afford them prefer to put down the price of a good car for a pair of guns with the name of a famous London maker on the barrels.

The secret of London's supremacy is that, in London alone, live families of craftsmen who for generations have made guns by hand and passed on from father to son a mastery over wood and metal by contrast with which the best productions of modern machinery are crude.

Your guns are built to fit you like a tailor-made suit. An expert fitter—using a special try gun with a variable stock which can be altered in length and set at different angles to the barrels—takes your measurements with a practice shoot on Mr. Churchill's private shooting grounds near London.

Thirty weeks after ordering, the guns are ready for you to try them out. Minor alterations are made and the guns are sent back for finishing.

The polisher brings out the figurines of the walnut stocks, fits rubber recoil pads and inlays your initials or crest in gold letters in the stocks. The lock plates, the barrels, trigger guards and action go to the engraver who chases them with traditional scrolls and designs. Finally, Mr. Churchill himself personally takes them out for a shoot and gives these pampered darlings of his workshop the cachet of his approval before they pass out of his hands.

They are placed in a fitted leather case, each piece in its own compartment and sent out into the world, like babies from a maternity home, with complete cleaning outfit and detailed instructions as to their future handling and proper care.

The owners hold them in trust; posterity will honor, not his initials inlaid in the stocks, but the name of Churchill engraved on the gun barrels.

I'm afraid that very few Churchill (or any other London guns) are being made now. Most of the craftsmen are engaged on high-precision work for the Government. Mr. Churchill himself—who apart from his reputation as a gunmaker is recognized as one of the greatest firearms experts in the world—is engaged chiefly on Government business.—Macdonald Hastings in the Magazine "London Calling."

### Smoked Bacon

#### Studies Are Being Made On Proper Methods Of Preservation

Extensive studies have been undertaken by the Division of Biology and Agriculture in the National Research Laboratories, Ottawa, on the relative perishability of smoked and unsmoked bacon. In the storage studies, unsmoked bacon was found to be rancid after 42 days, whereas the smoked product was usually satisfactory after 70 days. Wiltshire bacon is usually matured for two or three weeks before smoking and then consumed immediately. This procedure is believed to produce the most desirable flavour.

Hitherto, Canadian Wiltshire sides have been exported to Britain in the "green" or unsmoked condition and smoked there. If smoking were employed as a method of preservation during transit, the bacon would have to be smoked shortly after cure and then be carried through a relatively extended transport period before reaching the consumer. These studies are being continued and trial shipments are being made to Britain.

#### Would Be On Hand

Mother and daughter were very busy with the wedding plans when the bridegroom-to-be called. He watched the preparations rather impatiently.

"Darling we have such a lot to do," soothed his fiancee, "and if we want to make our wedding a big success we mustn't forget even the most insignificant detail!"

"Oh, don't worry about that," murmured the young man, "I'll be there all right!"

### Australian Defences

#### Have Been Strengthened By Planes Sent From Britain

Britain has sent an undisclosed number of Beaufighter squadrons to Australia as a first line of defence against any attempted airborne invasion of the commonwealth. It was announced officially. Skilled Royal Air Force pilots have already arrived in Australia to train Australians to handle the planes.

The sending of these planes is directly connected with the tense situation in the Far East. Although the number of squadrons was not disclosed it was learned the number is sufficient to deal effectively with any attempted airborne landings.

### Film Life Story

#### Amy Johnson To Be Subject Of New Picture To Be Filmed In Britain

The life story of Amy Johnson, who was killed in air crash in the Thames Estuary, is the subject of a new film to be produced at the Denham studios in Britain.

It is believed that Anna Neagle will play the part of Amy Johnson and David Niven the part of her husband, Jim Mollison.

The life story of Amy Johnson was chosen because she was regarded as symbolizing the modern adventurous and purposeful women of Britain.

First Great War planes had to be overhauled every 50 hours but today's go 600 hours without overhauling.

### Potent Drug

#### Discovered In The Soil, Cures Human Sores And Wounds

Almost miraculous healing of human sores and wounds by a new drug discovered in the soil was reported to the American College of Surgeons here.

The drug is gramicidin, and its potency is from 1,000 to 100,000 times greater than sulfanilamide. It was literally unearthed three years ago at the Rockefeller Institute, New York City, by Dr. Rene Dubos.

An idea of its potency is given by the fact that one-millionth of a teaspoonful, which is about as much as a drop of mist, is sufficient to protect a mouse from 10,000 fatal doses of pneumonia germs.

Now half a dozen of the greatest medical institutions in the United States are starting human experiments with it, and the British government has asked for it to try on war wounded. The report was made by Doctors Charles H. Remmelkamp and Chester S. Keefer of Boston University School of Medicine.

On human beings tried in Boston gramicidin has cured skin diseases, ulcers, wound infections and infections inside chests. It is not, however, on sale even to physicians, for its limitations and dangers are still largely unknown.

### For Business Letters

#### Claim Made That The Word "We" Is Used Too Often

More "I's" and fewer "we's" would improve the composition of business letters, according to Charles R. Riker, who reads other people's mail for a living.

Riker told a conference of the American Management Association that the word "we" is over-used and misused by business executives in their correspondence.

Based for his analysis was his experience in reading carbon copies of thousands of business letters written by employees of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Co., and suggesting ways for their improvement.

"The extremes to which some people go to avoid saying 'I' would seem to be based on an unwarranted modesty," Riker told AMA members. "Or is it a superstition?"

Riker recalled the comment attributed to the late Mark Twain that "nobody is entitled to refer to himself as we, except kings, editors and persons with tapeworms."

Stressing the importance of a friendly tone in business letters, Riker also urged the use of diplomacy in writing the letter to avoid offense.

### Cause, Not Effect

"You say this woman shot her husband with this pistol, and at close range?" asked the coroner of the eye witness to the colored tragedy. "Yassuh."

"Were there powder marks on his face?"

"Yassuh. Dass why she shot him."

The original religion of Japan was called "Shintoism."

## The Russian Campaign

### Has Proved A Costly Drain On Hitler's Oil Supplies

(By Louis F. Keemle of The United Press War Desk)

Even if Hitler's armies should take the Caucasian oil fields, the question arises of how much benefit he would get out of it.

The answer is, probably little, for at least a year to come. The oil which Hitler needs increasingly for his mechanized army must come from elsewhere, chiefly Rumania and from the synthetic production of Germany and the occupied countries.

These sources are not sufficient to keep pace with Germany's wartime consumption; nor half enough it is estimated. Unless new sources are obtained, it is only a question of time until Hitler's reserves are depleted and his motorized blitz attacks spiked.

The Russian war has proved a costly drain on Hitler's oil supplies. It is far greater daily, weekly, monthly drain than was entailed in the conquest of western Europe. There Hitler captured enough reserves to more than compensate for the loss. He has got none out of Russia.

There is no comparison between the Russian campaign and the earlier ones. The Russian war is spread over a vast 2,000-mile front. Hitler's forces are meeting such opposition as they never encountered before. For more than four months they have been going at top speed, burning up resources at a prodigious rate.

Hitler's long supply lines must be fed almost entirely by gasoline-propelled vehicles. The broad-gauge Russian railroads have been of little use, except perhaps in a few cases where the Germans have been able back of the lines to lay a third rail for the use of standard German rolling stock. This is aside from the expenditure of oil for airplanes, tanks and mechanized fighting units.

It therefore has been assumed generally that Hitler will strike at the Caucasian fields to replenish his oil supplies and assure a continuing source for the future. There is petroleum aplenty under the soil in the Caucasus, but getting it to the German armies in the form of refined gasoline, lubricating oil and other necessary products is a different proposition.

The Russians may be counted on to see to it that Hitler gets no immediate benefits even if he does take the Caucasian fields. Elsewhere in Russia they dismantled factories, destroyed power sites, flooded mines and moved as much machinery and machine tools eastward as they could. From the accounts of touring foreign correspondents, the most Hitler got, apparently, was some wheat which was not destroyed.

If the Krasnodar-Maikop oil fields in the northwestern Caucasus are occupied, the invaders are likely to find the refineries wrecked and a

good many of the wells put out of commission. The Russians, provided they have time, might be able to move a good part of the essential refinery equipment to safety farther into Russia.

The Germans lack the equipment and technical skill to build their own refineries, say, a year or a year and a half. With Rumanian technicians and equipment, they might be able to set up small-scale refineries which would afford strictly limited production.

The alternative is transporting the crude petroleum to refineries in Europe over several thousand miles. Railway facilities and tank cars are lacking and the Black Sea route to Roumania is blocked by the Russian navy. The transportation and production problem is emphasized by the difficulty Hitler has had in getting the desired quota of oil out of Roumania. Production in Roumania, instead of increasing, has dropped.

If the Rumanian problem is so difficult of solution, the Caucasian one would seem almost insuperable.

### Has Obtained Patents

#### Amateur Chemist In California Making Motor Fuel From Waste

A building contractor who turned chemist because he became irritated at the size of his gasoline bills has developed a process to convert garbage, waste lumber and farm products into motor fuel.

J. W. Jean has obtained final patents on the method he developed in a machine shop laboratory at Pasadena, California. He says tests of his synthetic fuel have shown it has an octane rating of 98.7, comparable to aviation gasoline, and that it has developed 25 per cent more mileage than the petroleum fuel.

The raw material first is fermented into alcohol and then converted into a synthetic hydro-carbon. To produce butyl alcohol cheaply, it was necessary to develop an unpatented bacterium. He met the problem by isolating one from potato peelings.

One hundred and fifty tons of bagasse or sugar cane waste, he said, can be converted into 9,875 gallons of motor fuel. 66,160 pounds of carbon dioxide for dry ice, 1,700 pounds of hydrogen gas from which synthetic alcohol can be produced, and 50 tons of humus for the soil.

By-products include ammonia salts which, when blended with fertilizer, provide a high nitrogen content. When the fuel is produced from garbage, a superior lubricant is developed.

Among materials from which the fuel can be produced, Jean said, are molasses, sawdust and shavings, waste from paper and sugar mills, old newspapers, potatoes, fruit, nuts and nut shells, and second and third cotton crops, seldom harvested, including the entire cotton plant.

### Stole Precious Relics

#### Nazis Have Taken Phial Of Saint's Blood From Naples

Germany has stolen from Naples a tiny phial said to contain the blood of St. Januarius, patron saint of the city, says London Daily Mirror.

The phial had been kept for 1,500 years in the Cathedral of Naples. Yearly pilgrimages took place to see the "miracle" of the liquefaction of the coagulated Holy blood.

Now the precious relic is in a clinic at the University of Berlin, says the paper, adding "the Germans hope to derive something from research which will improve the method of blood transfusion and the preservation of blood."

It declares the Nazis promised to return the phial in two weeks but sent instead an imitation.

People who think the home town newspaper doesn't print all the news should be thankful that it doesn't.

An acre of soil on typical farm land contains an estimated one and one-half tons of weed seed.

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**The World of Wheat**

By H. G. L. Strange

The price of wheat is now the subject of intense discussion. Some are suggesting that wheat should be at "parity." What does parity mean? Used in this sense parity simply means that a bushel of wheat should have the same purchasing power as it had at some previous date; and the date usually considered as fair is the crop year 1913-14.

To calculate such "parity" it is of course necessary to know what the costs now are of the things the farmers have to buy. The Searle Index which was started in 1940 with this very object in view, reveals that today it costs prairie farmers 50% more for the things they have to buy than in 1913-14 whereas the price of wheat today is 22% lower than it was in 1913-14; a bushel of wheat today, therefore, has a purchasing power of only 52% of what it had in 1913-14.

For a bushel of wheat to have the same purchasing power as in 13 and 14, the price, therefore, I calculate, would have to be approximately \$1.20 a bushel. Northern in store Fort William.

The United States Department of Agriculture in 1931 started an index similar to the Searle index. Washington has now decided to restore the purchasing power of wheat and other farm products in the U.S.A. to the 1913-1914 level.

Following factors have tended to raise price: Nazi operations in southern Russia threaten the rich Caucasian agricultural region -- The U.S. Congress has revised the Neutrality Act to enable American ships to enter the war zone -- The Canadian Government has sold 120 million bushels of wheat to Britain.

Following factors have tended to lower price: Burma is expected to harvest a record rice crop in 1941-42 -- Oriental political situation continues to disturb exports across the Pacific -- The Argentine exportable surplus of wheat has been estimated officially at 191 million bushels -- Acreage to fall wheat in Canada in 1941 is 13% above a year ago.

**Around Alberta**

Alberta's tourist season just ended was the best in provincial history according to J. A. McNeil secretary manager of the Alberta Motor Association. In his annual report to the association Mr. McNeil said the 1941 estimate of tourists spending was \$7,500,000, more than \$2,000,000 increase from the previous peak year. The A.M.A. he added, also found 1941 the greatest year of activity. "Last year 3,592,529 tourists visited Canada. This was 2,000,000 more than the population of the country, and they left behind them a stream of gold dust amounting to \$127,859,000 of new revenue". He declared Alberta holds first place among tourists, and will become a mecca of attraction in a few years.

Alberta farm boys and girls sent as judges to the Canadian National Competitions in Toronto continued the success of their predecessors. Eleanor Mullis and Dena L. Parry of Lethbridge took 5th prize in dairy cattle judging; Robert C. Lewis and Ray L. Rigney of Bon Accord took 1st prize in beef cattle judging; Nancy and Robert Dunbar of Caiman were 7th prize winners in swine judging and the 2nd prize in grain judging went to Willoughby R. Cole, Drumheller. Calvin G. McGhee, Ghost Pine Creek.

**Lone Pine Notes**

Mr. and Mrs. Cipperley received a cable of the safe arrival of their son, Gunner Lloyd Cipperley, in Great Britain

Mrs. Hilda Aveldson of Omak, Wash., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. Patterson and sons, and many old friends here.

There will be a big dance at the Lone Pine Hall on Wednesday, Dec. 10th with Cordies family of Calgary supplying the music. Bring your lady and have a good time.

Don't forget the W.I. quiz and bazaar and dance this Friday, Nov. 28th at the Lone Pine.

Mr. A. Spragg visited at the Jenkins home on Sunday.

Mrs. Alfie Thompson returned home on Friday after an enjoyable week in Calgary.

We all wish Miss S. Zook, who is very ill in a Calgary hospital, a speedy recovery.

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**Mountain View W.I.**

The November meeting of the Mt. View W.I. was held Thursday, Nov. 20th at the home of Mrs. Joe Fulkerth with 12 members and many friends present. Members answered roll call by giving an item on current events. A paper on handicrafts was given by Mrs. G. Tigh and many useful home made articles were displayed and instructions given for their making. It was reported that cigarettes had been sent to seven local boys overseas and that a ditty bag has been filled and sent to the Navy League of Canada. A dance will be held at the Hall on December 12th, music by the Didsbury Rythm Rogues. Members are to leave their recipes for the Community Cook Book with either Mrs. J. B. Fulkerth or Mrs. Glen Fulkerth. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, December 3rd at the home of Mrs. Gebers. All are urgently requested to attend, as officers for the coming year will be elected at this meeting.

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**Burnside Notes**

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Houser and Donald spent the weekend in Rocky ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Welch of Calgary spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfie Thompson, Mrs. Ruth Eckel and Robert were Sunday afternoon callers at the C. L. Cipperley home.

Mrs. Ruth Eckel spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Bert Pross when they quilted two quilts for the Red Cross.

Mr. Ralph Long has been spending the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thompson.

**Notes From the West**

The last meeting of the Elkton Willing Workers, was held at the home of Mrs. Haener, when wool was carded and comforter tied. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. C. Byt this Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hogg were Edmonton visitors last week.

T. Kemp of Cremona is in the Didsbury Hospital suffering from severe burns when gas was siphoning from a car exploded.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Parker were Munson visitors last week.

Don't forget the pie and bean social at the Rugby Hall Friday evening, proceeds towards packing parcels for the boys overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Miller of Westward Ho visited with Mr. and Mrs. D. Evans on Sunday.

A.C. 2 Leslie Evans was moved about a week ago to Patricia Bay, Vancouver Island, B.C.

**Avoid Freezing  
Milk and Cream**

While the weather man has been particularly kind these past few weeks, colder weather can be expected in the near future. During the winter months, both creameries and cheese factories receive a considerable quantity of frozen cream and milk.

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## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The federal labor department will add 12 conciliation officers to its staff shortly and the three best qualified will be classified as labor relations specialists.

First Great War pensions in force March 31 numbered 72,904 disability and 17,941 dependent, representing a total annual liability of \$39,598,180.

An official decree ordered all public establishments throughout Italy, including restaurants, bars and night clubs, to close at 10 p.m. each night as a war-time economy measure to save fuel.

The 1941 fall index number of living costs of Canadian farm families was 116.0 compared with 112.3 last spring, the Dominion bureau of statistics reported. The western Canada index advanced 3.1 per cent to 111.9.

John Winant, United States ambassador, declared that the first premise in fighting an enemy who is ruthlessly determined on world conquest is to "fight him on ground you choose rather than on ground he chooses."

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Canada's 1941 canned salmon pack is so large that not only will the Dominion be able to supply more than estimated United Kingdom requirements but "fears of a serious shortage on the domestic market have also been dissipated" it was shown in a prepared statement issued by Fisheries Minister Michaud.

The minister's statement said Canada would be able to supply the United Kingdom about 200,000 more than the original 1,100,000 cases estimated under an agreement with the British government.

"At the same time the stocks available for other requirements will be large enough to prevent any acute shortage in supplies within Canada and to take care of export orders from certain countries such as Australia and South Africa," said the statement.

The pack in British Columbia, chief Canadian source of canned salmon, already exceeds 2,000,000 cases, second largest pack on record. In 1930 an all-time high of about 2,222,000 cases was recorded.

Mr. Michaud's statement said that the output of canned sockeye exceeded expectations and is one of the largest in years. The pack of coho will set a new high mark, exceeding the largest previous production by more than 30 per cent. The pack of Chums will be well above average, more than offsetting some reduction in the pack of pinks, fourth of the salmon species most used in canning.

## GAY VERSIONS OF CHILD'S FROCK

By Anne Adams



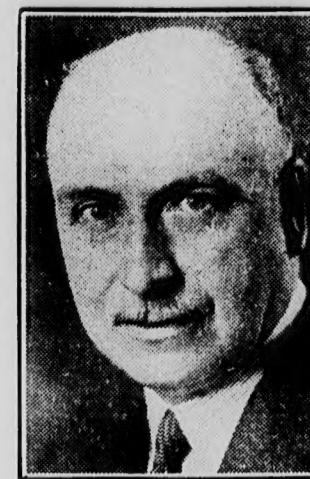
Two "pretty as a picture" dresses for a little miss—both from the same pattern! Both versions of Pattern 4899 by Anne Adams have a curving bodice panel that gives a "bolero" effect to the front of the dress, and which continues as a waistband in back. In one version it is laced up with a gay bit of ribbon ending in a bow at the collarless neckline. In the other version, the panel plus a rounded collar are made of contrasting fabric and accented by a row of buttons. Either frock may be made with long or short sleeves; both open at the back. So easy-to-make with the Sewing Instructor—why not make both dresses?

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Amsterdam, capital of the Netherlands (before German occupation) is located on about 100 small islands inter-connected by more than 300 bridges.

## PUSHING STAMP SALES



W. B. TINGLE

has accepted the appointment as National Director of War Savings Stamp Sales. The possibilities of raising money through War Savings Stamps have become so great, Ottawa reports, it became necessary to choose an outstanding executive to promote and direct the sales. Mr. Tingle is a director and advertising manager of the Imperial Tobacco Co. of Canada Ltd., and will apply many years experience in advertising and selling to his new patriotic task. He has been active in a number of charitable and patriotic campaigns and at the present time is Chairman for the province of Quebec of the Air Cadet League of Canada.

## The Time And Place

### Must Be Exactly Right Before Britain Strikes At Europe

Have we got a design for victory? That is the question which is frequently popped. To which the Express replies: And if we had, would we tell our enemy? What is expected of us? Is it expected that Mr. Winston Churchill will walk from Downing Street to Trafalgar Square, mount the Nelson Column and from that lofty eminence harangue Hitler in such words as: "We are going to invade you here and there. We are going to beat and bust you by this means and that means. Get all your strength together because we are going to attack you at this point or at that." Did you ever hear such lunacy? Of course we have a design for victory. Thoughtful men see its shape. As a nation no doubt we have to bide our time. When we strike it must be on the right front and at the right moment. We will strike with finality and we must be patient and await that stroke while we build up our strength in field and factory, in ship and in shipyard. —London Daily Express.

## Alberta Coal

### Ontario Dealers Have Been Ordering Larger Tonnage This Year

Increased tonnage of Alberta domestic coal has been ordered by Ontario dealers this year, a statement issued on behalf of Coal Administrator J. McG. Stewart by the wartime prices and trade board said.

"Every effort should be made to take delivery of this coal as early as possible, to avoid any danger of traffic congestion a little later on when weather conditions may not be so favorable," the statement said.

The ocean's gold content has been estimated at \$25,000,000 per cubic mile, although gold amounts to only a few parts per billion.

## Plenty In A Name

### Painting Discarded Because It Was Not A Rembrandt As Supposed

The St. Thomas Times-Journal says: For a long time a religious painting was hung in an American art gallery. It was supposed to be the work of the great Dutch artist Rembrandt, who died in 1669. It has hung in this gallery for many years and people have paid it the homage due to the name of Rembrandt. Recently by means of X-ray and microphotography, the discovery was made that it was not by Rembrandt at all, but by an unknown artist. So the picture has been ordered off the wall and relegated to comparative obscurity.

The picture is not a whit worse looking, or better looking than it was before scientific gents began probing under its skin. It is exactly the same. But because the connoisseurs who have "Oh'd" and "Ah'd" and gushed over it now find that it was not painted by the man they thought they promptly decide that it is not worth their admiration and order it removed from their sight. We do not know who made the copy. Perhaps it was someone named Smith. Assuming it was Smith, or Schmidt in the Dutch form, we can only say that Smith was as good a painter as Rembrandt and Rembrandt was no better than Smith.

Many a time and oft have experts in painting, sculpture, old furniture and many other arts been fooled, and blissfully extolled the merits of these articles because they believed them to be the work of certain people who died long ago. Great is their chagrin and loss of "face" when some scientific iconoclast proves someone else did the job, probably a hundred years after the supposed artist died. It just shows that far too much reverence is paid to "old masters."

Supposing someone does demonstrate one day that the works of Shakespeare were written by someone else, will there be a demand that his plays be no more produced?

## The Silent Service

The British navy does its duty effectively without boasting—hence it is called the silent service. After all, in an electrical storm the thunder makes all the noise—but the lightning does the damage.

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Public ignorance and apathy in health education and sickness prevention must be overcome if the people of Great Britain and Canada are to become healthy enough to achieve victory over Hitler. Sir Wilson Jameson, chief medical officer of the Ministry of Health for Great Britain, told a meeting held by the Health League of Canada in Toronto recently.

While drastic measures in sickness prevention have prevented serious epidemics in Great Britain, he said, malnutrition is still a terrifying possibility. He said that "proper nutrition will win this war." As a result of his Canadian visit he had learned of a diet fed to expectant mothers which reduced the infant mortality rate. Sir Wilson said that he intends to put this diet into immediate use in Great Britain on his return.

War had shaken the people of Great Britain out of their apathy to some extent, and new and untried methods of health preservation had had fine results, Sir Wilson said. A widespread campaign for the use of toxid to prevent diphtheria had had encouraging results.

Typhoid, which was expected to be a frightful menace, has not raised its ugly head at all. Every big main in London's 8,000 mile water system has been broken at some time or other since war started, but chlorine, immediately poured into the water, prevented epidemics. There have been occasional flurries of paratyphoid, milder than its big brother, but this was traced to unclean bakeries.

The only two diseases to show any marked increase have been tuberculosis, especially among young women . . . and industrial poisoning. There has not, in spite of the terrors from the sky, been any big jump in insanity or milder types of mental ailment. British minds can take it, as well as British bodies.

Sir Wilson says that the biggest immediate worry is food, which is definitely short. The two most needed foods are meat and cheese. These are especially wanted for workers in heavy industry.

## Have Always Liked War

Tacitus, a Roman historian who became governor of Germany in 89 A.D., wrote of the Germans: They hate peace. They even think it feeble to win with sweat what can be won with blood." Julius Caesar, who had conquered them before that, said: "Their whole life is addicted to hunting and war." So up the centuries, the old spirit has remained.

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## DAUGHTER OF DESTINY

—BY—

Eleanor Alterbury Colton

CHAPTER XXXIII.

Just what her strange destiny might have held in store for her if Vara hadn't stepped back into her life again, Devona could never imagine. Perhaps because Vara Vadne was part of that destiny inextricably. Perhaps because it was all written in the stars for an old Indian fakir to foresee—at any rate, Vara laid strong hands on the pattern threads of her daughter's life.

The message came just before dinner, Devona and Dale had spent a heart-breaking day being gay together. Gay over a delicious luncheon that neither of them tasted. Gay over shopping while Devona bought luggage and clothes for her coming wedding trip with Tal that they both tried to ignore for the moment. Gay over cocktails that only threatened to break down the reserve they were trying to build between them. Trying so hard to make love behave as friendship, passion as affection.

It wasn't working very well yet, Devona realized, catching sight of her flushed, happy face once in a back-bar mirror. But in time it could. They'd make it work! For Tal's sake they had to.

Weary, nearly spent with the force of buffeting emotions, they had returned to the old Brasher home late that afternoon to find Tal pacing the living room frantically.

"I thought you'd never show up," he said, his eyes wild with worry. "Vara's collapsed. She's dying!"

"Vara!" Devona repeated, shocked. "Yes, and she's been calling for you. Both of you. We've got to hurry."

"Mother!" Unconsciously, Devona revealed the tie that bound her to that woman who already had brought so much sorrow into her daughter's life. After all, Vara was mother. Dad would have wanted—

Dale drove them to the hospital with magnificent indifference to traffic regulations.

"Daughter?" a kind-faced nurse asked. "Yes. She's been asking for you. Go in."

The room was small, darkened. For a moment, Devona could scarcely see the slim form in the bed. Then it moved, raised a hand in faint gesture of welcome.

"Come in." Vara's voice but so changed. "I want you."

That effort had proved too great a drain on Vara's slim reserve and though Devona went to her side instantly, Vara had already fainted away.

Frightened, Devona rang for the nurse.

"She's still too weak. You'll have to wait," the nurse said, crisp starched skirts rustling like old parchment.

And that waiting seemed endless. What message could Vara have that was so important, so great a weight on her mind that even in her weakness, her delirium, she clamored for a chance to tell it.

Dale and Tal both paced the long hospital corridor with her. Every time Vara's door opened they all three started, anxiously. Strange, Devona thought wryly, how each of them was bound to that slim, inert form lying there in that darkened room. Each in a different way. But bound, nevertheless.

"You needn't stay, Dale," Devona suggested after the first fruitless hour. "I hate taking so much of your precious time and—"

"Skip it," he muttered.

But in the end, they all had to go. The doctor, shaking his head anxiously, said Vara was much too overwrought about something to be disturbed. Any excitement, any strain on her already-weakened heart might prove fatal. Since mention of her daughter's name seemed to upset her, it might be several days before she could see her.

"I'll have to stay, Tal," Devona said later that evening when they were back in the Brasher drawing room. "After all—she is my mother. No matter what has happened. And she needs me now."

"Sure. Of course. We'll just postpone things until she's O.K." Tal said, smiling, taking her hand.

"I hate upsetting your plans—"

"As it happens, you aren't." Tal came to perch on the arm of her chair. "Gay Dorset—she's the star for this show I'm working on—is arriving from San Francisco in a couple of days. I'm to meet her and go over some of the scenes. We'd have had to come back from Reno, anyway, darling. So—you see it's working out O.K. all around."

Was it? Devona wondered, and involuntarily let her glance slip to Dale's grim face, linger for a moment.

Then she caught it back. Tal's eagerness, his renewed self-confidence had been bought at great price. But, she smiled up at him now, it was worth it.

Devona went to the hospital every day. But it was nearly a week before they let her see Vara. And when they did, Devona gasped with shock. Not Vara! Not that hollow-cheeked, pallid face against the pillow! It couldn't be.

"You're being swell about this, aren't you Devona?" Dale smiled at her one afternoon when Tal was too busy with conferences to call for her.

after visiting hours at the hospital. "After all she didn't take her responsibilities toward you very seriously."

"She's ill now. And needs me. It's not being noble, Dale," Devona smiled wryly. "It's just being dutiful."

Dale pressed her hand fiercely. "You're always that, aren't you? What would happen, I wonder, if we didn't either of us have a shred of conscience between us?"

Tears rushed into Devona's eyes again as they'd had a way of doing these past hectic days. Tears she couldn't control. Tears that were always ready to put all the world out of focus.

"Look here. Let's pretend we have no conscience — just for to-night," Dale suggested as if he'd read her thought. "Tal's tied up with this Dorset dame, beaming her around Los Angeles while she makes up her mind if she likes the dialogue he's written for her. And surely there'd be nothing wrong in — say, our having dinner somewhere fancy and treating ourselves to a little dancing. Tal wouldn't care. And after all, we've not much to — remember."

There'd be harm, all right. Plenty of it. Every time they were together it was harder to go on with this masquerade. But, Devona couldn't refuse. One last glorious evening with Dale all to herself! She was human, after all!

Devona dressed carefully. One of the pretty lime green dinner gowns she'd selected as part of her trousseau. The color made her skin seem gardenia white, her hair blue-black. Slippers to match, a luxurious silver fox cape—Tal's engagement present to her. She stroked the soft fur a little guiltily. This wasn't being exactly fair to Tal, she scolded herself. Not the dinner itself, nor the dancing—but the racing, tremulous thrill she couldn't suppress.

Determinedly, Devona tried to set a keynote of gay friendliness from the moment Dale crossed the Brownstone's lobby to meet her.

"Look at the girl," he grinned, as he slipped her arm through his. "Isn't she gorgeous?"

"Isn't she, though?" Devona laughed back at him. "And her handsome

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Dale accepted the keynote, pitched his own railing to match as, over cocktails at the Top Hat and then dinner at Victor's they bandied wisecracks as lightly as if their hearts were really in it.

"Now—let's go some place to dance," Dale suggested finally. "I crave soft music to soothe this savage soul!"

So they went up onto the St. Claire Roof Garden where a muted orchestra played softly under a starlit sky. The warm, balmy night, the soft strains of the music, maybe it was the touch of Dale's arm about her waist, the smoothness of his chin pressed against her forehead—something snapped the frail bond by which she held her emotions in leash. Trembling washed over Devona and she clung to him, desperately, almost frantically.

Instantly responsive, Dale's arm tightened, his head turned until his lips pressed hard against her forehead, his heart thundered response to the clamor her own was setting up.

"Darling," he whispered. "Darling, how can I ever give you up?"

"I don't know," she whispered, shaken. "I love you, so."

"I love you, too, my sweet."

After that, they drifted with the music—as if, for the moment, anyway, they had stepped into another world that held only themselves.

"Darling, we can't go through with this," Dale argued a little later as they stood looking deeply, hungrily into each other's eyes. "It's all a rotten mistake. But there's still time. We could slip over to Yuma. Once it was done—"

To Yuma. To be Dale's bride. Tonight, maybe. Details of that picture enlarged in Devona's quick imagination. To belong to him "until death" forever and ever—Dale's!

That couldn't be. Devona knew that. Her shoulders sagged unconsciously under the burden of her renewed decision. And Dale must have realized it, too, because he said:

"I know. It's no use." And something died a little in his eyes. "Remembering what we'd done to Tal would stand between us the rest of our lives."

Devona nodded. After that, they danced in silence, arms, eyes, clinging hungrily as if this were to be the last look, the last embrace. Like hard-won reprieve from a life sentence to.

Suddenly Dale's eyes fixed on something just beyond her shoulder. He stiffened, and surprise flickered across his face a moment before he covered it with poised control.

"There's Tal now."

Devona felt her own guilty conscience spread a quick flush to her cheeks. Tal! But—there was nothing to feel guilty about. Not now. Slowly arming herself with that they'd made the only right decision best smile—she turned to face her betrothed.

(To Be Continued)

The Chile Pine

The Chile pine, first discovered in Chile, is considered the grandfather of all pines. It was a thriving tree in the Jurassic Period, millions of years ago.

### Symbols Of Victory

#### Cargo Ships For Britain Have Names Beginning With V

The names so far given to cargo ships under construction at Richmond, California, for the British indicate a carryover of the new somewhat muted "V" campaign. The five ships already launched are the Ocean Vanguard, Ocean Vigil, Ocean Voice, Ocean Venture and Ocean Viking. Sixty ships in all are to be built at the Richmond yard and at a second yard in South Portland, Maine, for the account of the British Purchasing Commission. The "V" section of the dictionary is not thick, but it will suffice to provide good names for at least sixty vessels. Virtue and valor and victory and vim and vigor are still in reserve, to mention but a few variants out of a vast and valuable variety.—New York Sun.

### Make Big Contribution

#### Gold Miners In Canada Are Helping With War Effort

Gold miners throughout Canada are making a vital contribution to the Canadian war effort. A force of little more than 25,000 men is producing over \$200,000,000 a year in gold. This amount of gold would fully pay for more than 8,000 Spitfires a year. In the amount of munitions and war equipment, the product of their work will pay for, possibly no other group of men of equal size anywhere else in the world will compare with that of the 25,000 men who are digging out the gold from the mines of Canada.—Toronto Saturday Night.

### Sunflowers For Cattle

The London Sunday Express says: Sunflowers are being specially cultivated in Britain for the first time for commercial purposes at Norwich Corporation Farm. For years Continental countries have produced edible oil, paper-making material, cattle-feeding cake, chicken food, saltpetre, potash and dye from sunflower plants.

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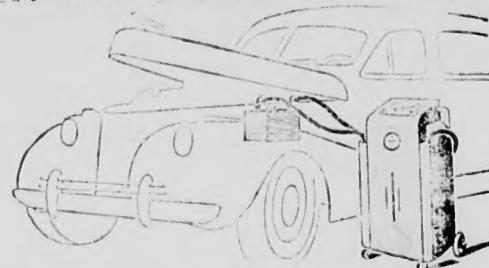
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## LOCAL & GENERAL

L A C Bob Barrett, of High River spent Sunday night at his home here.

Knox United Ladies Aid will hold their Xmas bazaar on the first Saturday in December.

Mrs. Brightman is in a Calgary hospital where she is taking medical treatment.

Mr. M. B. Clemens of Crossfield visited at the Berscht home over the weekend and visited many old friends.

Bring your old skating outfit to Scott's and trade it on a new outfit.

Canadian Legion meets in the Hall at 8.30 on Nov. 29th. On the East Executive meeting at 8

Mike Holub who is with the R. C. A. F. at Claresholm, spent a 48 hour leave at his home here last weekend.

A. C. Joe Crimmon returned to Edmonton on Sunday after spending a two weeks leave here.

The Senior Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Fawcett, on Friday, Nov. 28th instead of Dec 6

The annual meeting of the Didsbury Agriculture Society will be held at C. E. Reiber's office on Thursday Dec 4th at 2 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Mattice and son Kenneth, who have been residing at Burmis, Alberta, returned last week to visit relatives in Didsbury.

John Bruce who is attending the emergency training school at Calgary previous to joining the Airforce, was home for the weekend.

Pilot Officer Clarence Cunningham, who has been training at Charlotte Town P. E. I. is home on leave this week. He expects to leave for overseas very shortly.

Harold Gulliver who was with the Royal Bank at Lacombe was home last weekend. He left Sunday evening for Edmonton where he had been called for the Airforce.

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The New Shoppe

Remember the date, Friday Dec. 12. Dance at Mountain View Community Hall. Everybody come and have a good time to the music of the Rythm Rogues, of Didsbury.

A bean supper will be held at Rugby Hall this Friday evening, Nov. 28th, to be followed by a short program. The proceeds are in aid of the Soldiers Comfort Fund.

The Ladies Aid of St. John's Lutheran Church, will have their sale at the home of Mrs. E. Jans on Wednesday Dec. 3rd beginning at 8 P. M. All are welcome.

There will be "Open House" at the Mountain View Bible School on Saturday afternoon, Nov. 29th, 1941 from 3 to 6 in the afternoon and 7.30 to 9 in the evening. All interested friends are cordially invited to visit the Bible School at this time.

The Evangelical ladies Aid will hold their annual tea and sale of home cooking in Klejko's old store on Saturday, Nov., 29th. Chicken, sewing and grab boxes. Tea from 2.30 till 6.

Sgt. Clarence Mack and wife of Winnipeg, accompanied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mack and family of Calgary, motored to Didsbury to visit Mrs. C. Mack on Tuesday.

Word has been received of the death of Franklin Fretz, in his 81st year, at Penticton B. C., on Friday, Nov. 21st. Mr. Fretz was a former resident here, farming east of town. He moved from this district about 20 years ago.

The Girls Choir and C.G.I.T. are sponsoring Mrs. Willer's Church Players from Calgary, on Thursday, Dec 11 at the Knox United Church. They will present 2 one act plays: a comedy and a drama. Adults 25 cents and students 15 cents. Don't miss it.

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Geo. Dippel.

A. C. Charles Loader who is stationed at Calgary, spent a few days leave here this week.

Mr. Lyman Deadrick of Oakland California is visiting his father and brothers for a few weeks.

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A cable has been received from Leut. Tom Clarke, of the Royal Canadian Artillery, stating that he had safely arrived in Great Britain.

Mrs. Tom Morris of Jasper, and Mrs. D. Gwiliam of Namao, have been visitors at the home of their sister, Mrs. Hewins and father Mr. G. Bowyer, for the past two weeks, owing to the illness of their father.

J. A. McGhee of Brooks this week expressed a number of fine Chinese pheasants for distribution among a number of his friends. The editor was among the recipients and along with others says "Thanks Jim".

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